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## **Civil Enforcement Case**

#### **Basic Information**

Case Number: 02-1998-0030 Case Name: BASF INC

Case Category: Administrative - Formal Case Status (as of 10/26/1998): Closed

Case Lead: EPA

Court Docket Number: II-TSCA-PCB-98-0107

**DOJ Docket Number: --**

Relief Sought: --

**Enforcement Outcome:** Final Order With Penalty

**Headquarters Division: TOX** 

**Branch: WTS** 

Result of Voluntary Disclosure? No

Multi-media Case? Yes

Enforcement Type: TSCA 16 Action For Penalty

Violations: General Facility Requirements

#### Penalties - Case Level

Total Federal Penalty Assessed or Agreed To: \$50,000

Total State/Local Penalty Assessed: \$0

**Total SEP Cost: \$0** 

**Total Compliance Action Cost: \$0** 

**Total Cost Recovery: \$0** 

#### Case Summary

THE CIVIL ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT, ALLEGING VIOLATIONS OF THE PCB REGULATIONS UNDER TSCA, WAS ISSUED AS A DECA LEAD CASE ON DECEMBER 30, 1997. THIS COMPLAINT WAS BASED ON A MULTI-MEDIA INSPECTION CONDUCTED AT THE FORMER INMONT LABOR- ATORY SITE IN HAWTHORNE, NJ, ON AUGUST 18, 1997. BASF FAILED TO MARK CONTAINERS OF PCB CONTAMINATED SOIL WITH THE PCB MARK M(L), IMPROPERLY STORED THE PCB CONTAMINATED SOIL FOR DISPOSAL, FAILED TO NOTIFY EPA OF PCB ACTIVITIES, AND, IN THE PROCESS OF SENDING THE PCB CONTAMINATED SOIL FOR DISPOSAL TO A PERMITTED DISPOSER, THEY FAILED TO PROVIDE THE OUT-OF-SERVICE DATE AND WEIGHT OF THE WASTE IN KILOGRAMS ON THE MANIFESTS. THE TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTY FOR THIS COMPLAINT IS \$73,700.

### Laws and Sections

L	aw	Sections	Programs
TSCA	6-PCBS		PCBS

#### **Citations**

Title	Part	Section
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#### **Facilities**

FRS Number	Facility Name	Address	City Name	State	Zip	SIC Codes	NAIC Codes
110000615709	INMONT CORPORATION HAWTHORNE PLANT	150 WAGARAW RD	HAWTHORNE	NJ	07506	2865 2869	

### **Defendants**

	Defendants and Settlements		In Complaint	In Settlement	
BASF INC		Y		Y	

#### **Case Milestones**

Event	Actual Date
Enforcement Action Data Entered	01/13/1998
Enforcement Action Closed	10/26/1998
Final Order Issued	10/26/1998
Complaint Filed/Proposed Order	12/30/1997

#### **Pollutants**

Pollutant Name	Chemical Abstract Number
PCBS	1336363

### **Related Activities**

Description	Actual Date
No data records returned	

# **Enforcement Conclusion (Settlements) 1**

Enforcement Conclusion Type: Administrative Penalty Order With or Without Injunctive Relief

**Enforcement Conclusion Name: BASF CORPORATION** 

Facilities in Settlement (FRS ID): 110000615709

Settlement Lodged Date: 12/30/1997 Settlement Entered Date: 10/26/1998

#### **Enforcement Conclusion Dollar Amounts**

Federal Penalty Assessed or Agreed To: \$50,000

State/Local Penalty Assessed: --

**SEP Cost: --**

**Compliance Action Cost: \$0** 

Cost Recovery: \$0

# **Complying Actions**

Complying Action ID	Category	Description
2474	Facility/Site Management or Information Practice	 Migrated Labeling
2600007813	Facility/Site Management or Information Practice	Migrated Testing/Sampling
2600049435	Direct Environmental Reduction	Migrated Removal (CERCLA/RCRA/OPA/UST)
2600802263	Direct Environmental Reduction	Migrated Data (Direct)

# **Supplemental Environmental Projects**

SEP ID	Category	SEP Value	Description
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### **Pollutant Reductions**

Resulting From	Pollutant	Annual Amount	Units	Media Affected
CA ID 2600802263	PCB			TOTAL BETTER STANDARD AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN